

MINUTES

Stark County Weed Control Board

March 27, 2019 10:00 A.M. | meeting called to order by Ron Obritsch

In Attendance

Leland Brand, JoAnn Hoff, Pete Kuntz, Ron Obritsch, Dwight Schank, Les Simnioniw. Others: Kurt Froelich, Travis Jepson, Kaye Jessen. bsent: Phillip Messer

Call to Order

Board vice chair Ron called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

Minutes from the January30 meeting were approved as printed on a motion by Pete, second Leland, mc.

Financial Report

\$342,852.20 is the account balance as of March 26, 2019. Leland moved, second by Les to approve this report, mc.

Call for Herbicide Bids

JoAnn moved, Pete second to call for bids on the herbicides for the 2019 spray program, mc.

Personnel

Pete will check into a cleaning person for the shop. Pete moved, Leland second, to hire two additional spray crew members and to set the wages for the summer, mc. A \$.13 per hour increase for the salaried personnel will become effective on July 1 with a motion by Leland, second by Pete, mc.

Gravel Pits

Travis presented a new law enacted for noxious weed certification of gravel and sand pits. Weed boards are now eligible to charge for certifying products from gravel and sand pits. He also gave out copies of an action plan for palmer amaranth.

Adjournment

Dwight made a motion to adjourn, JoAnn second, mc to adjourn the meeting at 10:57 a.m.

Next Meeting

Wednesday, April 24, 2019